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TRANSMISSION ELECTRON MICROSCOPE EOUIPPED WITH

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Sir:

Enclosed for filing is an informal application for patent as above identified

(Continuation-In-Part of U.S. Serial No. 09/773,792, filed February 1, 2001, comprising a specification, claims, an abstract, and four (4) sheets of drawings.

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